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## REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2006, please consider the following amendments and response. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) a petition for extension of time for extending the response one month, up to and including September 25, 2006 (September 24<sup>th</sup> falling on a Sunday); and (b) a Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with a Form PTO/SB/08A and a copy of reference AI.

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